

## PAREGORIC HABIT MEETS DRUGGISTS' CONDEMNATION

The retail drug business, from practically every angle, and its relationship to other establishments, and the effect of bills passed by recent legislatures on retail drug stores, were subjects discussed in open forum at the closing session of the Utah Pharmaceutical convention held at the Hermitage in Ogden canyon. The business ended with the election of officers and directors for the year and with the selection of Salt Lake as the place for the convention next year.

The following officers were elected: F. J. Folland, Salt Lake, president; C. E. Driver, Ogden, first vice president; D. C. Watson, St. George, second vice president; E. L. Wade, Salt Lake, secretary; George Hirscher, Murray, treasurer. Three men were named as the executive committee, these being F. J. Folland, George Hirscher and Hugo Druehl, the latter of Salt Lake. Other members of the board of directors chosen were Henry Davis, Tremonton; E. J. Elkington, Tooele; Frank Ulrich, Morgan; J. J. Wadsworth, Santaquin; H. H. Peterson, Ed Johnston, Mount Pleasant. F. C. Schramm invited the association to hold its next convention in Salt Lake and this invitation was immediately accepted.

Five addresses of vital interest to the druggists were given yesterday, these being by Rev. Godfrey Matthews of Ogden, President Boyden of Coalville, John Culley of Ogden, Secretary Wade of Salt Lake, and J. L. Frank of Salt Lake. Ever since the program for the event was announced, there has been keen interest in the latter's topic: "The Evils of Paregoric." The prominent Salt Lake business man handled his topic in a most thorough manner, declaring that paregoric with its high alcoholic and opium content has deteriorated from its position as a family remedy through the fact that it is now being sought by people as a substitute for alcohol, banned by the prohibition law. That one out of every thirty people were addicts of drugs and this new move was making more addicts instead of less was one of his declarations. Lemon extract was mentioned in the same category, and the speaker urged that every effort be made by druggists to limit the use of these, as far as possible, even suggesting that licenses and bonds be required where they were sold.

Regarding the breaking of prohibitory laws as regard alcoholic liquors, Frank said: "When the legislative body of the state enacted the prohibition law, no difference what view we may take of it, and so far as I am concerned, I am a firm believer in the doctrine, we created an army of criminals and law breakers. It was rebellion at what they believed was an encroachment upon their individual rights. And they rebelled. It was, perhaps, not so much the love for liquor upon the part of many as it was the desire to show animosity to what they classed as an attack on personal liberty, as also to show their contempt of the law. What has been the result?"

"What at first was regarded as a harmless disregard of the law, became a habit, and the violator, as the price for stimulant which he now craves, advanced and its scarcity became greater, necessitated something else to keep up the artificial stimulation which his disregard for abeyance of the law has brought about. Therefore, what?"

"The narcotic. And he appealed to you. Law-breaker himself, he sought to make you one also. Our duties are to administer to the welfare of society, to dispense drugs in the effort to aid humanity to save life. But, the addict sought to divert us into another channel and in some instances has succeeded. Failing in his effort to make all of us law breakers he sought another field and in this he was more successful, for he found physicians, not many, it is true, but physicians who for the mere profit that was in the business, were willing to write a prescription for some stomach ache or a coughing spell that nothing will alleviate like a swallow of paregoric. In fact, it is appalling. The number of people who are victims (?) of insomnia has likewise grown to alarming proportions which nothing but paregoric will relieve if the victim is to be believed, so the number of 'paregoric jags' is increasing at such a rate that the use of this camphorated tincture of opium has come to be a real nuisance."

### Use of Paregoric.

"Of all the narcotics, with the exception of tobacco, the use of paregoric has grown so rapidly that this, what has heretofore been regarded as a household remedy, has become a real menace to the country. This antidote and antispasmodic can be purchased everywhere by anybody, but under the Harrison law, a federal enactment, the sale must be registered. Regardless, however, it is astonishing how many persons there are who every day have an attack of stomach ache or a coughing spell that nothing will alleviate like a swallow of paregoric. In fact, it is appalling. The number of people who are victims (?) of insomnia has likewise grown to alarming proportions which nothing but paregoric will relieve if the victim is to be believed, so the number of 'paregoric jags' is increasing at such a rate that the use of this camphorated tincture of opium has come to be a real nuisance."

Legislative Members Secretary Wade in his address discussed the "Follies of Legislators," urging the druggists and others to take an active part in the selection of senators and representatives, with a view of sending to the legislature

men better versed in business and with few hobbies and "reform" ideas. Rev. Godfrey Matthews, speaking at the morning session, told the druggists that they, and other business men, should take more diversified interest in life, that they should reach out into civic affairs and into outdoor life. He also touched on the league of nations, on idealism and the utilization of the margin of life, giving plenty of time for play.

John Culley, president of the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy, gave a very interesting review of that organization's development and work, which he said had done much for the protection of both the public and the druggist by getting uniform, co-ordinated regulations throughout the country.

President Boyden in delivering his address yesterday morning reviewed the national and state affairs of the past year as affecting the drug business, particularly dwelling on lessons learned as a result of the war and also on the needs of greater coordination between the retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers as to assure protection against "freak laws."

While there were only these four formal addresses there were many talks of very distinctive nature along various lines, extemporaneous discussions that were led by men from all parts of the state. One of these was a discussion regarding "The Wholesaler," led by Charles Empey, which showed the relationship between the retailer and the public, the wholesaler and the retailer and then the manufacturer and the wholesaler. That this chain is essential, is a money-saver and an aid to proper service was stated in this paper.

Favors Advertising A. R. McIntyre led in the discussion of "Advertising," commending newspaper advertising, as did also Joy H. Johnson of Schramm-Johnson, Salt Lake. Others entered into this discussion and both billboards and window displays were commented upon by different speakers. W. L. Eddy of Brigham, spoke on "Getting Ready for the Customer," a question of store management. Joy H. Johnson urged, in a talk on "The Druggist and Civic Work," the attention of the druggists to the affairs of the community and civic and the development of acquaintance that would widen their sphere of usefulness in community as well as drug affairs. Harry Coombs took up the question of "The Druggist and Outdoor Life," urging vacation and outing periods for the druggists. "The Prescription" was considered by E. H. Peterson of Richfield and C. E. Johnson of Ogden spoke in favor of "Sunday and Closing."

Reports of a number of committees were presented and adopted and the association went on record as favoring the National Drug and Chemical Alliance, to fight ill-advised legislation that would be detrimental to legitimate drug business. Dr. Swingle of the University of Utah's department of pharmacy gave an interesting review of the plans of the department, a new feature in university life which he said ought to be encouraged by the druggists.

Cotillion Banquet The final number on the program of the convention was reached last night, when the delegates met at the Hermitage for a cotillion banquet. Even the menu was different, for it was prepared in such Latin as only the druggists could interpret, excepting with the aid of certain pictures which Chairman John Culley had to have printed along with this "descriptive" list of good things to eat. About 150 people were at the banquet tables, arranged in such form that cabaret numbers could be given in the center of the large dining room. This number included the members, their wives and a few invited guests.

Decorative head-wear of carnival type, toy balloons, many of the more similar features added somewhat to the gaiety of the event, but it was when the Ariel quartet and orchestra, the little dancer Thelma Anderson and other entertainers appeared that there was real hilarity. It was an event long to be remembered, absolutely devoid of speeches or other formal features and conducted without the assistance of any toastmaster, though A. R. McIntyre and John Culley did sufficient arranging just to keep things going. Afterwards, the floor was cleared for dancing.

Miss Thelma Anderson of Sandy, ten years old, gave two excellent dances—one of a Russian type, being costumed as a Russian, while the other was absolutely different, when she appeared as a beautiful girl from Honolulu. She was given much applause.

The other social event yesterday was a card party for the ladies held in the afternoon, while the druggists were conducting their business session.

## WORLD'S MARKETS

NEW YORK, June 28.—Stocks were firm to strong at the opening of today's short session, the list, excepting rails, making further upward progress on news of the signing of the peace treaty. Selling for profits and intrusions of further differences with Mexico regarding foreign owned oil concessions reduced some of the more important gains later. Trading concentrated to an unusual extent in industrial of the various peace groups, notably rubbers, textile, food, motor, leather and paper issues, coppers also adding to recent advances. The closing was strong. Sales approximated 650,000 shares.

## CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, June 28.—Actual signing of the peace treaty failed outright today to influence the corn market. Instead, prices today were ruled by the necessity of month-end liquidation on the part of holders of July contracts. This liquidation had a depressing effect on the market as a whole, the

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### Silk Foulards 79c Yard

Full yard wide, fancy silk and cotton mixed foulards, \$1.25 retailer, beautiful patterns and colorings, the favorite silk for everyday wear, the only silk that does not break or tear. Cheaper than cotton goods at, yard 79c

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### Imported Pongee 69c Yard

Genuine Shantung pongee, former selling price \$1.25, 32 inches wide. We consider this an exceptional sale, the quality of this silk is supreme, not heavily loaded with chalk like many appear to have. It is an important matter to select genuine pongee because it washes and produces a wonderful finish in ironing. Many people use this silk for summer dresses and children's wear, also a big seller for men's shirts. Get some of this wonderful pongee at, yard 69c

### Linen Fringed Napkins 90c Dozen

Pure linen and colored linen fringed napkins, worth to date \$4 dozen. This is old stock. Remarkable bargain at, dozen 90c

### Japanese Crepe 49c Yard

Fast colored striped Jap crepe, the kind that stands boiling, the most substantial fabric for house dresses, boys' shirts, children's dresses. Nothing more durable and washable than this Jap crepe, worth 65c a yard. Victory sale, yard 49c

## Wonderful Values in Traveling Bags and Suitcases

### Suitcase Special, \$1.88

Strong fiber suit cases with brass lock and catches, size 24 and 26 inch, equipped with leather straps, exceptional bargain at, each \$1.88

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Well made large traveling bag with brass catches and lock, made to stand rough wear, should sell at \$4. Our price \$2.19

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Very strong fiber bag with near leather lining, large size, color black, brass lock and catches, the most attractive bag on the market to date, sells at \$5. Our price \$3.49

### Japanese Grass Rugs

Specially Reduced During the Celebration Sale at \$2.90

Extra large size, handsomely decorated grass rugs, size 36x72, beautiful colorings to choose from, the best wearing rug, sanitary and easy to keep clean, worth today \$4.50. Our price during this great sale, each \$2.90

### Men's Neckties, 79c

Extra heavy silk neckties, regular \$1.25. Made of the very best fancy silks, beautiful colorings and large variety of patterns to pick from. Each 79c

## Women's and Misses Khaki Breeches

Made of the best quality drilling, will stand the severest rough wear, made for camping and outing trips; no woman should be without one of them at the special price quotations.

### Ladies' Handkerchiefs 89c Dozen

Remarkable assortment of linen finish lawn handkerchiefs with dainty lace edges and hand drawn hemstitching, also one corner embroidered and featherstitching, and colored embroidered designs and colored scalloping, one of our greatest bargains during the celebration sale of four days at, dozen 89c

### Palm Beach Suits 49c yard

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36 inches wide, colored fancy Palm Beach suits, the favorite cloth for summer wear, noted for its coolness and wearing ability, does not show dust and hold colors, the only cloth that really shows quality. Among the assortment you will find pretty colored stripes and shadow effects, also serviceable plaids for women's, misses', and children's wear. Former selling price 75c yard. Now, yard 49c

### Infants' Headwear

Our stock of babies' hoods and bonnets slightly soiled in handling. Values \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 at a quick clearance 75c

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treaty signing having been anticipated long before hand. Opening prices, which varied from 1/4 off to 1/2 cent advance, with September 1.75% to 1.75% and December 1.53% to 1.53%, were followed by a slight general upturn and then by a setback all around to well below yesterday's finish.

Oats were dull and weak with corn. After opening unchanged to 1/4 lower, including September at 63% to 69, the market hardened a trifle, and then turned sharply downward.

Provisions held steady. Higher quotations on hogs, together with assurances that export trade would be enlarged were against any decline.

In the last part of the session, rallies took place as a result of covering by shorts. The market closed unsettled, 1/2 cent net lower, to 3/4 cent advance, with September 1.75% to 1.75% and December 1.53% to 1.53%.

### CHICAGO, June 28.—Grain table:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Corn—				
Sept. . .	1.75%	1.76%	1.74%	1.75%
Dec. . .	1.53%	1.54%	1.52%	1.53%
Oats—				
Sept. . .	.68%	.69%	.68%	.68%
Dec. . .	.69%	.70%	.69%	.69%
Pork—				
Sept. . .	...	...	...	51.50
Lard—				
Sept. . .	34.02	34.10	34.02	34.07
July . .	34.05	34.07	34.02	34.07
Ribs—				
Sept. . .	27.85	27.85	27.80	27.90
July . .	28.00	28.02	27.92	28.00

### CHICAGO PRODUCE.

CHICAGO, June 28.—Butter, lower; creamery, 46¢51.

Eggs, higher; receipts, 21,937 cases; firsts, 41¢; ordinary firsts, 38¢38½; at mark, cases included, 38¢39; storage packed firsts, 42¢; extras, 42¢40.

Poultry, alive, lower; fowls, 29 cents.

### CASH SALES.

CHICAGO, June 28.—Corn: No. 1 yellow, 1.80; No. 2 yellow, 1.79@1.80;

No. 6 yellow, 1.68; other grades, nominal.

Oats: No. 2 white, 68¢@69. Rye, No. 2, 1.43. Barley, 1.14@1.21. Timothy, 9.00@12.00. Clover, nominal. Pork, nominal. Lard, 34.02. Hogs, 27.25@28.00.

### OGDEN LIVESTOCK.

Cattle: Receipts, 155; choice heavy steers, 9.00@11.00; good steers, 8.00@10.00; fair steers, 7.00@9.00; choice feeder steers, 8.00@9.00; choice cows and heifers, 8.00@9.00; fair to good cows and heifers, 7.00@8.00; cutters, 4.50@5.00; canners, 3.30@4.00; choice feeder cows, 6.00@7.00; fat bulls, 6.50@7.00; bologna bulls, 4.00@5.00; veal calves, 10.00@12.50.

Hogs: Receipts, 325; choice fat hogs, 17.50@18.50, 18.25@18.75; bulk sales, 18.25@18.50.

Sheep: Receipts, 2058; choice lambs, 11.00@12.00; wethers, 9.00@9.50; fat ewes, 7.00@8.50; spring lambs, 14.00@15.50.

### KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK.

KANSAS CITY, June 28.—Hogs: Receipts, 800; higher; heavies, 20.90@21.00; lights, 20.25@21.00; packing, 20.00@20.50; pigs, 19.50@20.25.

Cattle: Receipts, 600; for week, lower; calves, steady to lower. Sheep: Receipts, 900; for week, lower.

### CLEARING HOUSE BANKS.

NEW YORK, June 28.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold \$64,077,130 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is an increase of \$33,668,600 from last week.

### POTATOES.

CHICAGO, June 28.—Potatoes, new; firm; old, nominal; arrivals, 33 car; Bliss Triumphs No. 1, carlots, 3.25@3.40 cwt; Irish cobbles, Virginia,

6.75@7.00 barrel; do Carolina, 5.50@5.75.

LIBERTY BONDS. NEW YORK, June 28.—Liberty bond prices today were: 3 1/2's, 99.32; first 4's, 94.50; second 4's, 93.90; first 4 1/2's, 95.20; second 4 1/2's, 94.14; third 4 1/2's, 95.10; fourth 4 1/2's, 95.08; Victory 3 1/2's, 100.10; Victory 4 1/2's, 99.96.

### BOY WITH WHISKERS CREATES ALARM IN COURT

A messenger boy from Bramwell's stationery store appeared in the juvenile court rooms this morning with a new day book and a roll of crepe bunting, which he stated had been ordered by another boy, "a big boy with whiskers." The messenger produced an order written on a receipt stamped with the juvenile court stamp. The writing, however, was illegible, appearing at first glance to be shorthand and which later proved to be mere marks drawn from the fancy of a feeble-minded young man who is well known about town.

The juvenile authorities immediately began to dream of erasing juveniles who might have ransacked the office during their temporary absence. While they were questioning the messenger as to the identity of the purchaser, the girl who operates the elevator in the First National bank building rushed in and informed the officials that there was a big boy on the third floor who had frightened her.

Probation Officer T. A. Shreeves went down and brought the young man to the court rooms on the fourth

floor, where he was searched and the receipt book found in his possession. When the book was taken from him the youth, who has an impediment in his speech, made it known by signs and guttural sounds that he was a soldier boy and would get his gun and shoot Mr. Shreeves, if he did not return his property. How he came into possession of the receipt book could not be learned definitely, but a boy who operates the elevator on one of the shifts stated that he had seen the youth enter the juvenile court offices one day about two weeks ago when no one was present.

The youth is 20 years of age and has been known in Ogden for many years, though he has never been considered dangerous. Believing that the boy had once been committed to the state mental hospital and had probably escaped, Judge Sullivan notified the sheriff's office. A deputy came and took the boy, who is slight of stature for an adult, dresses like a boy and seems to possess a mere child's mind.

He was at once released and then went to the intersection of Washington avenue and Twenty-fourth street where he succeeded in convincing the traffic policeman that he had been robbed by the juvenile court officers. Accompanied by the traffic officer the boy appeared the second time in the juvenile court rooms, this being only a few minutes after he had been taken into custody by the deputy sheriff, and had demanded his property. He ordered the traffic officer to arrest Mr. Shreeves. Those present seemed to sense humor in the situation, even though feeling pity for the unfortunate boy, and the policeman hurried back to protect the traffic on the corner.

Cast Set—The case of Max Schmitt, charged with battery, was set for hearing this morning in the city court for next Thursday morning. Attorney for an adult, dresses like a boy and Willis appeared for the defendant and bail was set in the sum of \$20.

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